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March 18, 1954

Mr. [REDACTED]  
Assistant to the Director,  
Central Intelligence Agency,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear [REDACTED]

Enclosed is your correspondence file and a memorandum  
addressed to me by our IES shop on the Friedrich Glum matter.

Please let me know if I can be of further assistance.

Sincerely yours,

*Jesse M. MacKnight*  
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Special Assistant to the Assistant Secretary  
for Public Affairs

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Re: Mr. MacKnight

February 11, 1954

IRS - Russell L. Riley

Dr. Friedrich Glum, exchange professor from Germany

Your memo of February 8.

We are advised by our cooperating agency, the Conference Board of Associated Research Councils, that Professor Glum has been placed at Goucher College, Baltimore, Maryland, and has expressed satisfaction with his lecturing and research program there.

An extra copy of this memo is attached, which you may wish to send to [redacted] Assistant to the Director, CIA.

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CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY  
WASHINGTON, D. C.  
OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

27 January 1954

Mr. Jesse M. MacKnight  
Office of the Assistant Secretary  
for Public Affairs  
Department of State  
Room 3008, New State Building  
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. MacKnight:

Enclosed is the correspondence from  
Dr. Friedrich Glum of which we spoke over the  
telephone on 13 January.

I appreciate your taking care of this matter  
for us.

Sincerely yours,

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Assistant to the Director



CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

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Dr. Friedrich Glum

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Dear Dr. Glum:

I have received your letter of 8 January regarding the matter of your future work while in the United States. As you know, fellowships such as yours are handled by another branch of the Government. Therefore, I have been in touch with the appropriate people regarding your case, and they will undoubtedly contact you direct.

Sincerely,

*Allen W. Dulles*  
Allen W. Dulles  
Director

cc: Mr. Jesse M. MacKnight ✓  
Office of Asst. Secy. for Public Affairs  
Department of State

Professor Dr. Friedrich Glum

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New Orleans, Jan. 8. 54

Mr. Allen Dulles

State Department

Washington DC

Dear Mr. Dulles,

You were so friendly to help me to come over to the United States this fall for a year under the Fulbright program. ( I met you in 1949 with the Ambuechens in your home in Long Island and my wife met your wife in T schiertschen in the home of her sister Barbara Kempner ) As I came through Washington, I tried to see you in your office, but unfortunately you could not receive me. I got a grant from the John Hays Whitney Foundation, which allows me to travel all over the Country so that my wish to see as much as possible of the United States which will make able to write a book about the American Democracy which is my purpose to counteract many queer ideas the European have about America. The first semester I was teaching at Tulane University in New Orleans and I was very glad to see something of the South, most Europeans have not the possibility to study. But now for the second term I am finding it very necessary to stay at one of the old New England Universities and to see a lot of the Government and Congress in Washington and perhaps of the working, industrial and social conditions of the big cities. Considering these various purposes I came to the result that Princeton would be the best place, not so far from Washington and New York and Philadelphia and famous University of the New England World. I found no objections against this plan in a conversation with the secretary of the Whitney Foundation Mr. Samuel C. Park Jun. in New York, but my sponsor, Mrs. Lam from the Conference Board in Washington, which is the office of the State Department for the exchange program told me as I met her in the end of September in a hurry ( she was going for some months to Europe, that this would not be possible. I could only get

the Whitney grant for the second term, if I would agree to go to a Southern university again or to a small college. As this information was against the information I got from Mr. Park, I wrote to Mr. Park and applied for an exception specially mentioned Princeton as the best place. Some weeks later I got the answer that he had submitted my application to the Board of trustees and that the Board of Trustees had discussed my problem and had him authorized to write to the Conference Board requesting that they re-examine my request for special consideration in planning my year in the United States. He added that his feeling was that the Conference Board would look with sympathy upon my request. So I had the impression that the Whitney Foundation had no objections against my plan with Princeton. But the Conference Board office wrote to me that nothing could be arranged before the return of Dr. Lam. Now Dr. Lam has returned, but wrote to me at the 18. Dec., a letter I got after the holidays, that I could not get a grant of the Whitney Foundation, as I would not teach. I answered that this was a great mistake that I should like to teach as much as possible and that I had mentioned research work in all my letters expressively "beside teaching". This afternoon I got a telephone call from the same lady, that a second term at a large University would be not possible, I had to go to a small college, which could be in near Boston, New Haven or Baltimore. Under these circumstances I am in very bad situation because the time is now a very short one (not by my fault) and I can not understand, why Dr. Lam after the decision of the Board is so absolutely against Princeton or an other place, in which I had to see a lot of American political life. I mentioned the Georgetown University, because I am a catholic and could there give the students who want to go in the foreign service something about the political situation in Europe as I did at Tulane. But Mrs. Lam was completely against this plan too. Perhaps she would agree with the Goucher Girls College in Baltimore. I would not object, because than I could find near contact to John Hopkins

contact with John Hopkins and perhaps make an arrangement that I could stay some days in the week in Washington.

I write this letter to you because I could not find out what the situation is and if You could do something for clearing I should be very glad. I do not want to make any difficulty. But I am so convinced that I ~~then~~ might do a good work for both countries, Germany and United States with my studies that I will object to other plans, which will me bring out of contact with the most important subjects of my studies. I must concentrate my studies on Washington and New England on the next four months, because I can not stay in summer time in the East by causes of health. I want to go for the rest of my year to the Pacific coast.

With my best regards

sincerely yours

Frederick J. Glavin

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